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# UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

SECURITIES INVESTOR PROTECTION CORPORATION,

Plaintiff-Applicant,

v.

BERNARD L. MADOFF INVESTMENT SECURITIES LLC,

Defendant.

In re:

BERNARD L. MADOFF,

Debtor.

IRVING H. PICARD, Trustee for the Liquidation of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC,

Plaintiff,

v.

FGLS Equity, LLC,

Defendant.

Adv. Pro. No. 08-01789 (SMB)

SIPA LIQUIDATION

(Substantively Consolidated)

Adv. Pro. No.10-05191 (SMB)

# STIPULATION AND ORDER FOR VOLUNTARY DISMISSAL OF ADVERSARY PROCEEDING WITH PREJUDICE AND OF COUNTERCLAIM WITHOUT PREJUDICE

Irving H. Picard (the "Trustee"), as trustee for the liquidation of the business of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC under the Securities Investor Protection Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 78aaa, *et seq.*, and the substantively consolidated estate of Bernard L. Madoff individually, by and through his counsel, Baker & Hostetler LLP, and defendant FGLS Equity, LLC, ("Defendant"), by and through its counsel, Arkin Solbakken (collectively, the "Parties"), hereby stipulate and agree to the following:

- On December 3, 2010, the Trustee filed and served the Complaint against FGLS Equity, LLC.
- 2. On May 26, 2011, FGLS Equity, LLC served an Answer and Counterclaim on the Trustee.
  - 3. On May 14, 2015, FGLS Equity, LLC filed a Motion for Judgment on the Pleadings.
- 4. On June 22, 2015, the Supreme Court of the United States denied certiorari of the Trustee's appeal of *SIPC v. Ida Fishman Revocable Trust*, 14-1128 and *Picard v. Ida Fishman Revocable Trust*, 14-1129 (the "Supreme Court Decision"), and thus section 546(e) of the Bankruptcy Code applies to this proceeding.
- 5. Pursuant to the Supreme Court Decision, and in accordance with Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 7041(a)(1)(ii), and Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1), the Parties hereby stipulate to a dismissal with prejudice of the above-captioned adversary proceeding, and to dismissal without prejudice of the Defendant's Counterclaim against the Trustee.
- 6. The parties further stipulate to the withdrawal of Defendant's Motion for Judgment on the Pleadings.

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7. The provisions of this Stipulation shall be binding upon and shall inure to the benefit

of the Parties and their respective successors and assigns and upon all creditors and parties of

interest.

8. The Parties reserve all rights and defenses they might otherwise have.

9. This Stipulation may be signed by the Parties in any number of counterparts, each of

which when so signed shall be an original, but all of which shall together constitute one and the

same instrument. A signed facsimile, photostatic or electronic copy of this Stipulation shall be

deemed an original.

Dated: September 18, 2015

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